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25X1 5. [] Advised by Mr. Bernard Martin, Legislative Reference Division, BOB, that he has received informal comments from State and Defense Departments and is expecting a "no objection" letter from Civil Service Commission during the day. He will now attempt release by the Bureau of the Budget on the basis of the informal responses. Hopefully, he will have a report for us on Monday.

25X1 6. [] James Gehrig, Glen Wilson, and William Parker, Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee, visited the Agency for a briefing on Soviet aeronautical developments. The material previously furnished on SST and commercial aircraft was updated together with briefing on bomber and fighter aircraft. The meeting was most cordial and almost conversational in tone by a continuing exchange of questions and answers. Attending from the Agency were [] ORR, [] OSI, and [] OLC. At the conclusion, Mr. Gehrig suggested that if there is further material that had not been treated due to time limitations, he would be pleased to come back for another session. It was indicated, however, that the areas of "organization for research and development in Soviet industry" was possibly the only area of real interest to the Committee and that this could be noted for inclusion in a future briefing.

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25X1 7. [] As Senator Pell had not returned from a trip back to Rhode Island, I met with Mr. Paul Goulding, Administrative Aide, who advised that the Senator had mentioned recently that he desired to visit the Agency and meet with the Director and thanked me for coming by to remind the Senator. A meeting for Senator Pell will be scheduled on his return to determine a date for visiting the Agency.

25X1 8. [] Met with Colonel Hal Gould, House Science and Astronautics Committee staff, and picked up a copy of the appropriate pages of the "Space Business Daily" for January 12. See Journal item of January 12.

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